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(54) Scissor- or plier-shaped surgical instrument

(57) In order to improve the ergonomics in the area of the connections of a scissor- or plier-shaped surgical instrument possessing two arms displaceable with respect to each other and connected together, each of which bears a tool, whereby the arms and the tools are insulated electrically from one another and each tool is connected with one pole each via the arm to an external voltage source, it is proposed that a two-conductor supply cable be connected from the poles of the external voltage source to a first arm whose first conductor is connected directly to the first arm, while its second conductor is connected via a connecting cable forming a loop from the first arm to the second arm.

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